

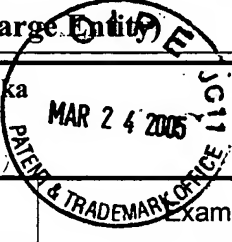
# PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

(Large Entity)

Docket No.

17281

In Re Application Of: Satoshi Otsuka



Application No.

10/723,224

Filing Date

November 26, 2003

Examiner

Ricky Levern Mack

Customer No.

23389

Group Art Unit

2873

Confirmation No.

9183

Invention: MEDICAL APPARATUS

## COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 1/28/2005 above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from:

2/28/2005

Date

until:

3/28/2005

Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
Signature

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Dated: March 21, 2005

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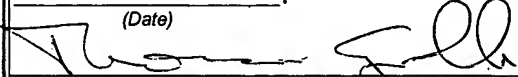
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